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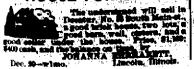
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One for one hundred dollars, made in October, 1876, by Theodore Stoin, due in six months at 10 per cent., credited by \$10 interest.
One for three hundred dollars, made October, 1875, by Win. Benas, due in 12 months at 10 per cent.; credited by 2 years' interest.
One for two hundred dollars, made February, 1876, by Henry Fairing due in 12 munths at 10 per cent., 1 years' interest paid.
One for one hundred and sixty-live dollars, made March th, 1877, by August Myer, due 1 year at ton per cent.
One for one hundred and sixty dollars, made August, 1877, by Wilhelm Haring, due in 18 months at 10 per cent. months at 10 per cent. One for fifty dollars, undo February, 1877, by Ben Anstin, 6 months at 10 per cent. One for two hundryd dollars, undo Scottember, 1877, by R. D. Hiddlestone, 18 months at ten

one for three inimired dollars, made November 24, by Silas Moore, I day after date at 10 per cont.
One for one hundred dollars, made February
on March, 1876, by Henry Fairing to R. H.
Hill, by him endersed to me, 12 months at 10
And some notes made by Frank Meyer. All
oxcept those assigned to B. H. Hill me payatile to me.

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Bleward for the County Poor Farm for the
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, Macon County, Macon County Circuit Court.

Charles Arnold, John Williams and Guorge No.
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John Wrigen, William Bodines and Ernst.
F. Delinridge—Hill to forcelose trust deedl.
DUBLIC NOTICE is bereby given, that in
pursuance of a deoretal, order entered in
the above entitled better in said court at the
May Term, A. D. 1877. L. John A. Brown.
Master in Chancery for said court, on Saturday, the 26th day of January, A. D. 1878,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest hidder for each, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situated a the county of Manuelles. scribed real estate, strusted a the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to wit: Lots mine (8) and ten (10), in block clark (8), in Prutier: Martin & Gatling's Addition to Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereitaments thereunto belonging. Said promises will be sold subject to referention.

Docatur, Ill., Dec. 25, 1877.

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### Sheriff's Sale.

Sheriff's Sale.

Dy virtue of one excention to me directed to and delivered by the clerk, of the Cleant Court of Moultie county, Illinois, in favor of samuel Melboterts and against Abrand's. Comman and William L. Hamber, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The undivided one-half interest in the part of lot Not two 22, blooks Me. It we is ideas to the tener south seventy (Whites, thence seat twenty-one south seventy (Whites, thence seat twenty-one) [10] feet nine (b) inches, thence meth seventy (To) feet, thence west twenty-one 23) feet of the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois. Takes as property of the add William's. Hamber mer, which I shall offer, at public sale at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the standard of January. A. D. 1878, at 2 gloros, p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution. This Sith day of Decamber, A. D. 1878, R. P. Brykn's Et.,

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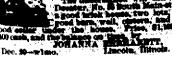
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STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County.

In the County Court, February Term, 1878. an ane county court, represary form, 1878.

James Durning, administrator of the estate of Beagianin Habannah, deceased, petitioner, vs. Hannah Mahannah, Stephen Mahannah, Mariah Latham, Honry Latham (her hushand), Hervey Mahannah, Jacob Mahannah, Honry Mahannah, Hii Mahannah and James W. Mahannah—Petition for an orier to sell yeal estate, Would respectfully inform the estimate of De-entur, that he has opened a new Moat Market on the southeast

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ens feety years ago Jasper J. Poldecord some to Decatar, a paor boy. He worked hard as a clerk, and finally saved up enough to renture into the mercurille husiness on his own account. He prospered and grew into importance in the little village, and his trade reached far into the surrounding country. About twenty-five years ago he brought here from Philadelphia a young man to clork in his store, and that young man proved to be so valua-

ble in a business point of view that he was taken into partnership, and the firm of Peddecord & Burrows formed. The mercantile business was finally wound up, and the firm began a general banking business about the year 1856, which grew into one of the most popular institutions in the state.-The proprietors became wealthy, and as they prespered they invested their means in manufactures and other enterprises of henefit to the city. It is not saying teo much to assert that Decatur owes more of its prosperity, in a manufacturing way; to those two men than to any-

But now their day of adversity, has comes and the community which has been no largely henclitted by their en-Perceipe and liberality ought, as a matter of simple justice to be very lenient towards them, If any means can be derhed to help them out of their difficulties and set them on their feet again. let it be done, even, if it be at a matri fice. The people of Decatur and Macon county ove to these men a great debt of gratificte, and now is the time to pay it.

### CHATEL MORTGAGES.

The Paxton Record contains the following, which will be worthy of cattention by those whose personal property is encumbered by a chattel mertgage: "During the recent session of the cirenit court, acvaral cases were tried on indictment for celling chattel mortgaged property, and in two instances, as we mentioned last week, convictions were secured and parties sentenced to the county jell. In his remarks in soutenchik in one case, Judge Rouves took occasion to remark that people must nudorstand when they give a chattel mort-gage that the law of this state forbids them to sell is without the written conappet of the mortages, verbal connext being an prefection. They have a right to use it but have no more right to sell it show to nell their neighbor's property. Thought right in it is the right of redemption, and if they do sell any of the property wishout the meitten consent of the morigages they are guilty of a mispunishment, by a line in a sum not to exceed twice the value of the property two convictions spoken of should serve to swaken people to a sense of the importance of a proper undestanding of

immigrants at New York during the part year a falling off of about 200,-000 as compared with the preceding your. This is no doubt owing to the "hard times" which are as severe in Great Britain and throughout Continental Europe as in this country.

HERE, you fellows who are afraid of all the What do you propose to do with the money you draw out for fear of a failure? There is only one good use you can put it to, and that is in paying your debts. If you owe any body, take the money and pay them off, so that the currency will be kept in the logic of events into even a seeming motion, and the community generally benefited. There is no other sensible

There is one oncouraging future about the recent heavy failures in Now York; and that is that they do not pro duce any panic throughout the country, nor the elightest symptoms of one. If has any rights which a sheriff is bound to respect is to be determined in Cinor financial impitations had overgred cinnati. Martin Hammerimidt, a juror during a speculative era, when the credit in the Dedsworth murder case, states cton of the country was inflated and related, they would have caused a gen-al gamle; now they simply go for what her me worth, the failure of concerns solid basis than they did three or our pours ago, and are not so carrily

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BUNN'S FAILURE.

Times reporter spilled on John Wentwith to assertate his views re-medinative failure, and the allowing "What do you think of Jake Bunn's

ailure? "Just what I expected; just exactly." "Well, everybody else thought that Bunn's bank was solid."

"I tell you, young man, that no bank is solid that has anything to do with pulities, religion or real estate. Abanker has get to attend to his own legitimate business, and if he don't he'll bust, and that's all there's to it."

"You see, Bunn's been running polition for ten or fifteen years. He has controlled one legislature after another, and that costs. In fact it costs more than it's worth. If a man goes to buying in politics there's no end to it. Every one that is for sale comes to him wares or not. Do you know how men sell themselves to a bank? Eh? Well, you see it's very easy. You know they are too honorable to sell themselves but they borrow money on their notes. They have no collaterals and put none

up. They never intend and are never expected to pay these debts. That's the way it's done. I have heard that Bunn's bank is loaded down with political paper.

"You know Bunu?"

"Yes, I know something of him, but Sol Smith knows him a great deal better than I do. Sol's the president of our bank-the Merchants' Savings, Loan and Trust Company. We were talking about Bunn to-day. Sol says that he was one of the shrewdest bankers that he knew anything about, and that if he'd stuck to his legitimate business he'd be immensely rich. But he couldn't keep out of politics, and you see where it has landed him. It is the old story over again. From the days of Nick Biddle until now there nover was a hank that went into politics or rollerion or real estate that didn't bust, It's only a question of time with them.

"You might bring in a cortificate that you were at the top in polities, or religiou, or Masonry, or Odd-fellowship or anything else to Sol Smith, and if you don't have good collaterals, you couldn't

Sol holds that only gold and government bonds are good collaterals, doesn't

Well, now, government bonds ain a dend sure thing. Suppose you take them for your money and this European war comes on and our bonds are sent back here, there would be a depreciation and you'd lose more on that than the interest would amount to; don't you

### HOW TO MAKE A BAD SOUTH.

Albairy Express.

We offer this as an infallible and too often tried recipe: To make a bad South worse attempt to conciliate it. The South has put forth and defended much that was unpatriotic and wicked, and the usual course of the North has been to bow and smile and conciliate. In all schemes but one the South has been successful, and that one, if we remember rightly, was not defeated by

### Insurande Losses in 1877.

The Financial Chronicle with its annual enterprise gives, in the last numdemodner and liable to indictment and ber for 1877, a complete list of the insurance losses in the United States and Canada for the year, except that the to the State military lot in the cometery. The Turkish Chamber of Deputies month of December is partly estimated. or confinement in the county just not The total loss for the United States is adopted by the General Assembly call- in roply to the speech from the throne exceeding one year, or both, at the die 434,874,500 in ing upon the Congress of the United at the opening of Parliament relating court. It is important 1876, and \$39,325,400 in 1875. The States to erect a monument over Gener to the Government's unlitary policy. that shis should be understood, and the largest month's losses in 1877 were in November, when they amounted to \$4, 648,800, and the smallest in July, \$2, 123,900. The total loss in Canada for the year, \$10,689,600, of which \$7,-122,800 cocurred in the single month of Jame, owing chiefly from the St. when 'tis down, 'twere well it were done Trans. were only 64,000 arrivals of John's fire. The total loss for the two quickly." Delay and suspense, under pountries was \$48,859,700.

> A Washington dispatch says that the veteran politician, Thurlow Weed, has written to the President warning him against any affiliation with the Democratic party, and advising him to seek a support for his administration among Republicans. This is in accordance with the previously expressed views of the Journal. We do not question the Republicanism of the President, nor suspect him of any Democratic proclivities or of the slightest disposition to affiliate or coquette with that party. But what he wants to guard against ineautiqualy getting out of line with the Republican party and being forced by alliance with the Democracy. should regard this an a national calamity, and we trust that the President's good sense and political sagacity will save him from either drifting or being forced into that position .- Ind. Jour.

that he was, with eleven other men confined for seven days in a dirty and badly ventilated room, compelled to lie on a straw mattress, with little or no that here been hadly menaged and sovering. He declares that his seven day's experience in the jury-room caushe chaerved they have no perceptible ed him to sastain great pain and hedily effect throughout the country. The inference is that the general business interests of the country rest on a much

\$15,000. Without discussing the merits of this particular case, we say, without hositation, that we are gled Mr. Hammerunidt has struck the first blow at an evil that should receive public attention. There is no reason why a gen-tleman serving on a jury should not be treated as a gentleman .- Inter Ocean.

A CAMPAIGN SLAMPER

When Dr. R. V. Pierce was a candidate for thate Heaster, his political opponents published a partended analysis of his popalso medicines, hoping thereby to prejudice the people against him. His election by an overwhelming majority severely rebuked his traducers, who sought to impeach his business integrity. No notice would have been taken of these campaign lies were it not that some of his enemies (and every encountui business man has his full quote of envious rivals) are republishing these begut analyses. Numer ous and most abourd formulas have been published, purporting to come from high authority; and it is a significant fact that no two have been at all alike-conclusive ly proving the dishonesty of their authors. The following is from the Buffalo Commercial of Oct. 28d, 1877:

The following is from the Buffelo Commercial of Oct. 28d, 1877:

"Hardly a dozen years ago he (Dr. Pierce)
came here; a young and unknown man, almost
friendism, with no capital except his own
manhood, which, however, included plenty of
brains and pluck, indominable perseverance,
and inhorn uprightness. Capital enough for
any young man, in this progressive country, if
only he has good health and habits as well—
He had all these great natural advantages and
one thing more, an excellent advantages and
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them that he could do there good, he advertise
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is in itself a lesson to all who sock hashess by
that perfectly logithmate means. He success
has hear is something marvelous—so great indeed that it must be due to intrinsic morth in
the articles he sells more even than to his unparalleled skill in the use of printer's far. The
persent writer once asked a distinguished dijousning driggist to explain the secret of the
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It maybe thought that all this having reference to Dr. Phoree's private business has be point winterer when considered inconnection with the proper qualifications of a candidate for the Senate. Perhaps. But it is the dashion now, and will be for a fortnight more, with sundry journals, to make succering allusions to this very matter. After that brief period, they will be quite ready to go on doing his work as before, and se always before to speak or him as a great public benefactor.

UNITED STATES Senator Ben Hill, of icorgia, comes out flat-footed against the Bland bill, or any other silver bill that proposes the unlimited comage of silver dollars on the plea that it would tend to injure the national credit. Senator Hill disappoints some of the adherents of the Bland bill by his expressions. U.S. Senator Butler, of South Carolina, also informs his friends that he, too, is apposed to unlimited allver coinage, and this is another disappointment to silver men. It is probable, nevertheless, that the Bland bill will, with slight modifications, pass congress. It is not probable that the president will veto it, All the probabilities and improbabilities of the silver situation could very speedily be made possibilities and certainties if the friends of remonetization should consent to the change of 4124 grains feature so as to increase it to about 430 grains, which would make the silver dollar "cheap" enough in all conscience, for any practical or really useful purpose. Chicago

THE grave that contains the remains of ex-President Taylor in Jefferson County, Kentucky, is namarked by suit; able monument. Governor McCreary in his last message recommends that next. the remains be removed by Kentucky at Frankfort, and that a resolution be al Taylor's grave.

CONGRESS will reassemble on Thursday of next week. The country expects prompt action as regards the pending currency legislation. "If it were done such circumstances are even worse in their effect upon the general business of the country than mistaken action.

THE month of December was the severest of the year 1877 in the financial circles of the country. In New York the failures numbered over 100, with a total liability of \$8,000,000.

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Wanted.—Romes for six girls and two boys, ranging in age from four to eleven years. D. W. BRENNEMAN, Decil-d&wif.

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Just received, the latest WINTER FACHIONS at Linn a Scruggs'.

Buckshie Cassingers, the best and choosest goods in the market for men and LIER & BCRLOGR. boys, at Nov. 18-dawtf

Below Cout. Toys, Dolls and Fancy Articles, for the holidays. I intend to eil below cost. Dec. 14 dawif

P. T. Locks is solling the Chickerieg, Halmes and Decker Planes, and the Estey and Packard Orenna.

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Never too Late. -- If you have not bought a cloak for the winter, 1 can sell you a better cloak for less money than any М. Сопринс other house.

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In consequence of my reman-from the city, I will sell cheap fur cash my premises on Macon street, ill feet front, nicely set in trees and shrubbery; house in good repair; 8 rooms, hall and cellar; birn and outhouses. Also will sell sorms and brany, and the con-oct. — dif JNO. W. SMITH.

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I will, from this day, sell my Entire Stock of DRESS GOODS, CA. HMERE, BLACK ALPA-CAS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, SHAWLS, Etc., at COST. Also, my Entire Stock of

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But now their day of adversity has come, and the community which has been so largely henefitted by their enterpetan and liberality ought, as a matter of simple justice to be very lement towards them. If any means can be derined to help them out of their difficultius and set them on their feet again, let it be done, even if it be at a maerifice. The people of Decatar and Macon weathfrete; and now is the time to pay it.

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immigrants at New York during the past year a falling off of about 200. 000, as compared with the preceding year. This is no doubt owing to the has written to the President warning "hard times" which are as severe in him against any affiliation with the Great Britain and throughout Continental Europe as in this country.

HERE, you fellows who are afraid of all the What do you propose to do with the money you draw out for fear of a failure? There is only one good use you can put it to, and that is in motion, and the community generally benefitted. There is no other sensible

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BUNN'S FAILURE.

A Time reporter salled one John Contracts to assertate his clown be-perdinguise failure, and the following "What do you think of Jake Bunn

"Just what I expected; just exactly."
"Well, everybody else thought that

Bunn's bank was solid." I sell you young man, that no bank is solid that has anything to do with politics, religion or real estate. A bankor has got to attend to his own legitimate business, and if he don't he'll

bust, and that's all there's to it." You see, Bunn's been running polition for ten or fifteen years. He has controlled one legislature after another, and that costs. In fact it costs more than it's worth. If a man goes to buying in politics there's no end to it.-Every one that is for sale comes to him, and he must buy whether he needs the wares or not. Do you know how men sell themselves to a bank? Eh? Well, von see it's very easy. You know they are too honorable to sell themselves, but they borrow money on their notes. They have no collaterals and put none up. They never intend and are never expected to pay these debts. That's the way it's done. I have heard that Bunn's bank is loaded down with political paper."

"You know Bunu?" "Yes, I know something of him, but Sol Smith knows him a great deal better than I do. Sol's the president of our bank-the Merchants' Savings, Loan and Trust Company. We were talking about Bunn to-day. Sol says that he was one of the shrewdest bankers that he knew anything about, and that if he'd stuck to his legitimate business he'd be immensely rich. But he couldn't keep out of politics, and you see where it has landed him. It is the old story over again. From the days of Nick Biddle until now there nover was a bank that went into politics

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wet a cent. Sol holds that only gold and government bonds are good collaterals, doesn't

Well, now, government bonds ain't a dead sure thing. Suppose you take war comes on and our bonds are sent back here, there would be a depreciation and you'd lose more on that than the interest would amount to; don't you

HOW TO MAKE A BAD SOUTH.

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We offer this as an infallible and too often tried recipe: To make a bad South worse attempt to conciliate it. The South has put forth and defended much that was unpatriotic and wicked, and the usual course of the North has been to bow and smile and conciliate. In all schemes but one the South has been successful, and that one, if we remember rightly, was not defeated by conciliation.

Insurance Losses in 1877.

The Financial Chronicle with its annual enterprise gives, in the last number for 1877, a complete list of the insurance losses in the United States and Canada for the year, except that the to the State military lot in the cometery. The Turkish Chamber of Deputies month of December is partly estimated. or confinement in the county juil not The goal less for the United States is adopted by the General Assembly call-exceeding one year, or both, at the dis \$35,196,600 against \$34,374,500 in ing upon the Congress of the United at the opening of Parliament relating 1876, and \$39,325,400 in 1875. The States to erect a monument over Generator to the Government's military policy.—

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A CAMPAIGN SLANDER

When Dr. R. V. Plerce was a candidate for mate fleastor, his political opponents published a pretended analysis of his popaler medicines, hoping thereby to preju-dice the people against him. His election by an overwhelming majority severely rebuked his traducers, who sought to impeach his business integrity. No notice would have been taken of these campaign lies were it not that some of his chemics (and every successful business man has his full quote of envious rivals) are republishing these begue analyses. Numer ous and most absurd formulas have been published, purporting to come from high authority; and it is a significant fact that no two have been at all alike-conclusive ly proving the dishonesty of their authors. The following is from the Buffalo Com-

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AT COST.

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Home made Stockings—the best article M. Goldbung's. to be found, at Dec. 14-dawif

Wanted - Homes for six girls and two boys, ranging in age from four to eleven D. W. DRENNEMAN, Decis-d&wif.} Supervisor.

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Quincy, Ill., Jan. 4.—Information was received in this city this morning of a mysterious affair in the neighborhood of Columbus, in this county. It appears that a reputable citizen, aimed-Shaffer, accompanied by his wife, went to town on Tuesday to make a deed to some property. On account of some disagreement the deed was not made, and they returned home late in the evening. Shaffer states that he went to the barn to put away his horses, and on coming to the house, his wife was missing, and had not been found up to this morning. Portions of her apparel have been found in the neighborhood stained with blood, but further than this the case appears to be entirely enveloped in mystery.

Well, may I hope, then, dear, that at some future time I may have the happiness of making you my wife? --Yes, I hope so, I'm sure," she replied, for I'm getting tired of suing fellows

Physician have long prescribed Dr. Grives HEART REGULATOR as a relief and curs for Heart Disease for the simple reason that they have seen its Inverse the Heart is liable to and it can rely be recommended as a scientific remedy for that dreaded of all diseases, whose subtle workings are not usually seen until the patient is beyond ordinary help. Among the many forms of Heart Disease are: Palpitation, Enlargement, Spanus of the Heart, Stoppage of the Action of the Heart, Trembing all over and about the Heart, Ossification or Bony formation of the Heart, the timatism, General Debility and Sinking of the Spirita: We can proposince Dr. Graves HEART REGULATOR a certain remedy, and advise you to use it. Send your name and advise you to use it. Send your name to F. E. Indalies, Concord, N. H., for a circular containing a list of testimonials

of cures, &c. For sale by alruggists at 50 wents and \$1 Dec. 26-d&w2w

These sudden changes of the weather seldour fail to bring a Cough or Cold, and we can recommend Dr. Murshall's Thing Syrup as a certain cure for all diseases of the Lungs and Chest The price is only 25 cents. Sold by all Druggists. Jan2-d&w1w

foldburg sells the best quality of Germantown Yarn, Berlin Zephyr, Canvas Slippers and Patterns; knit goods, such as Hoods and Saques, for children; Sea Feams for ladies in all colors, at lower prices than any other house. Dec. 14-dewtf

Newest Patterns of Smith's "ENGLISH" Tapestry Ingrains, 81 00 per yard, at Dec 24-d&wtf

TRACHERS' EXAMINATION. - A public examination of teachers will be held in Decatur, on Friday, Jan. 18th, 1878, and regularly thereafter on the third Friday il' each month. JOHN TRAINER, County Sup't.

The Jufant Class of the Baptist Church will give an entertainment on Thursday evening, Jan. 2d, consisting of tableaux, recitations, music, etc., Admission, 10 Jan2-dt.

The Great Popularity of the "Old Dominion" Buck Gloves and Gauntlets has induced parties, both in Decatur and surrounding towns, to sell inferior gloves under this name. None are genuine unless stamped "Geo. Ott" on the inside, 

Never too Late. -- If you have no bought a cloak for the winter, I can sell you a better cloak for less money than any М. Соговинс ther house.

Dec. 14-dewtf

The Superiority of the "Hersome Gaiter" over all other shoes of similar fastenings, has induced bresponsible parties to copy the name and style as near as possible, in order to sell their common or inferior goods. Remember the name, "Hersome Gaiter," is stamped on the lining of every pair, and sold only by Bau-BER & Bakut. All others are mere initations and frauds. Dec. 13-dtf

Masquerade Ball .- A masquerade ball will be held by the Concordin Club, Jan. 16th, 1878. Tickets/for sale by B. Stine, H. Mueller and I. W. Ehrman.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

LECTURES! AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

TWO LECTURES

OPERA HOUSE

Thursday and Friday Evenings, Jan. 17th and 18th.

FIRST DECTURE:

Japan and Japanese. SECOND LECTURE: FROM THE LOWEST FORM OF LIFE

Admission, 50 cents. No extra charge for eserved Beats. Tickets for sale at Albert's. Jan. 5, 1878-dtd

TO THE HIGHEST, OR MAN.

Grand Clearance Sale

IN OHDER TO MAKE ROOM FOR AN Ellogant Stock of Spring Goods, the

**DECATUR FURNITURE Co** WILL OFFER POR SALE, FOR THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS, At WHOLESALE PRICES, at their RETAIN WAREROOMS, on the

West Side of the New Square. -THEIR-MAMMOTH STOCK

CHOICE FURNITURE,

consisting of verything usually kept in a first-class retail establishment. Doc. 28, 1877—dawtf FOR SALE In consequence of my reman-from the city, I will sell cheap fur easil my premises on Macon steed, ill feet front, nicely set in trees and shrubbery; house in good repair; 8 rooms, hall and cellar; birn and outhouses. Also will sell large and bragy, and the con-oct, self.

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HAYS & BARTHOLOMEW. ONE PRICE CASH HOUSE, 25 NORTH WATER STREET, DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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AT LESS THAN COST,

Our Findle Stock of DRESS GOODS, except BLACK SILKS, BLACK CASHMERES and BLACK ALPACAS and MOHAIRS, AT COST.

Balance of our Stock of White and Colored BLANKETS, BEAVERS, FUR BEAVERS and HEAVY FLANNELS, AT COST.

Prices on all Goods, except Domestic Goods, reduced.

A splendid time to buy Goods for CASH. Dreatur, Jun. 4 1888 Curvette 1 3 3 3 3 3

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CLEARANCE SALE OF RY GOODS!

I will, from this day, sell my Entire Stock of DRESS GOODS, CA. HMERE, BLACK ALPA-CAS, FLANNELS, BLANKETS, SHAWLS, Etc., at COST. Also, my Entire Stock of

and Ladies' and Gent's FURNISHING GOODS.

Call and examine my prices before purchasing elsewhere. Remember the place-NO. 21 NORTH WATER STREET

BUY THE BOSS MATHISHEX PIANO

As they are To day the Leading Instruments of the World.

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taken in part payment for New Ones Address stock of ORGANS hiways on hand Cor cent. send for pricedist, or call of

Post Office Block, Decatur, Illinois. SAVE YOUR MONEY

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Rich Silver-plated Casters Silver-plated Table Knives and Forks in Sets; Tea and Table Spoons: Beautiful French Bronze Lamps; French China Tea Sets:

All kinds of Cut and Common Glassware. AMERICAN, GERMAN,

DUTON, BOHRMIAN, FRENCH, CHINESE. Come and see us. We don't care so much about prices as we do to reduce the stock.

MAMYER HOUSE, SIGN AND

GLAZIER, GRAINER AND PAPER HANGER.

Thankful for past favors, a continuance of the patronism of the public is respectfully solicited. Shop over Quinlen & Bro's Corpes, Store: East Main Street, Becaute, Ulinets, Mart7 3-15

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NICE winter weather. REGULAR monthly meeting of the city council on Monday evening next. READ the new advertisement of 6. Ein-

stein in to day's paper. CIRCUIT COURT resumes on Monday next, with Judge Nelson in the chair. THE river is frozen over in some places

where the current is not rapid. THE city schools are to re-open on Monday morning next. The young folks will take due notice, and govern themselves

accordingly. Now that the roads are well frozen, if they remain so they will soon wear smooth, and transportation on wheels will again be

THE boys and girls are happy to day over the prospect of a good run of skating. Yesterday we noticed them tripping gaily along the streets with skates in hand. An exchange says: "If the short man ever feels overcome with an intense desire to be tall it is when he finds himself on

That editor must have been "thar." A good many insist just now that they are obeying the injunction to remember the poor when they sit down and think of thomselves.

the outside of a crowd at a dog fight."

LOOK over the church; calendar for to morrow and make up your mind where to attend church and be sure you don't for

FARMERS in large numbers faced the blook wind of to day and made their weekly visit to the city, and stores are having a fair trade.

CHARLEY HOLF was at Taylorville last night working in temperance cause. Forty-three signed the pledge, and the enthusiasm there is on the increase.

Turks is one great trouble shout the silver business. It is this, that it invariably raitles in your pocket when you begin telling one of your creditors that you have not a cent to your name.

Case Diskissen. The case of the City vs. Frank Corning, which was set for eight o'clock this morning, before Justice Albert, was dismissed, as the presecuting witnesses failed to uppear in time.

MASS MEETING To NIGHT .- Don't forget the temperance mass meeting at the court-house to night. Capt. J. S. Post and Roy, W. G. Thman, are expected to address the meeting, and should there be time others will speak. Come one, come

Ben was Add and . Last evening a Est dence of Mr. W. F. Busher, on Macon street, for the purpose of congratulating Mr. Walter Busher on the attainment of his majority, he having reached his 21st birth-day. The A. P. C. Club was largely represented in the company. Music for the occasion was furnished by Goodman's orchestra. Almanta remast was perved at a proper time. All present voted the party one of the pleasantest of the season, and as they separated left their best

wishes with the host.
Phos. Edward S. Monse, of Massachuevenings of January 17th and 18th. The Professor has recently returned from Japan; where he has spent several years in investigations. His lectures here will be dest Japan and Japanese, Second will be upon the different forms of life, highest or man. It is through the infuence of the Decatur Philosophical Club, aided by the leading and prominent citizens of this city that his services have been secured.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—The 18th annual meeting of Young America Hock and Ladder Company took place at the aquarters last night, and the following officers. were elected for the ensuing year:

Ence Ropler, Captain. Chas. M. Fletcher, 1st Lieutenant. Charles C. Dempsey, 2d Lieutenant. Jacob M. Ehrman, Secretary. Ed. D. Carter, Treasurer. J. G. Cleyd, Ladder Director.

I. W. Ehrman, Bucket Director. F. D. Caldwell, Hook Director. Edward Gates, Ax Director. Finance Committee-I. W. Ehrman, J. G. Cloyd and L. L. Ferriss.

Dischangen.-In our issue of yesterday mention was made of a habeas corpus case in progress before Judge Nelson, the case being that of The People vs. Mrs. Mary England, of Moultrie county, who lives in the vicinity of Dalton City, and who was charged with setting fire to her own house some time last fall. She had a hearing at the time, and was committed to jail under a: Justice's mittimus to await trial at the coming term of court. Her friends being confident that there was really no case against her, had her brought before Judge Nelson on a writ of havess corpus, who, upon hearing the evitlence in the case, at ence discharged the woman. A dosen or more witnesses were.

THE WERK OF PRAYER.—At a meeting of the city pasters, held Jan. 4th, it was agreed that a union service be held each alternate from \$ 10 Monday.

BOR GREAT MISFORTUNE.

Suspension of Peddecord & Burrows.

The Other Banks Determined to

in these days of financial calamity ev my fresh reverse adds to the existing diflouities, and it was therefore with a ter. \$110; lot 14, block 15, Maros. ribbs sinking of hearts that our citizens this morning reed the following card, which appeared in the Sun:

TO OUR CREDITORS: We are under the painful necessity of closing our doors as bankers. The con-tinued facacial depression throughout the country together with local advene causes known to all business men in the commuwho was to an equivalently to this course.
We have used every honorable means to secure finds to meet the daily calls upon us. It is useless to continue the struggle further. The only honorable course, left is to suspend business. Our assets are

is to suspend business. Our nesets are large and valuable, and every dollar of our property shall be carefully and faithfully appropriated to the payment of our creditors; as we hope and firmly believe, in full. PEDDECORD & BURROWS. Jan. 5, 1878.

The suspension was, of course, the chief topic of conversation on the streets, in the stores, and in all other public places, as soon as it became public. The general tone of public sentiment was to the effect half northwest qr, northwest qr. sec. 26, that while the misfortune was probably the greatest which ever befel Decatur, it was not to be attributed to any reasons which could possibly reflect upon the inlegrity of Peddecord & Burrows, but that it was entirely due to causes incident to ranty deed for \$1,000; 10 acres in sec. 31; the present anomalous condition of affairs. inquiry made of persons thoroughly familiar with the business of the firm revealed the fact that the troubles under which the bank suspended were of a nature similar to those which have

ldeed so many other banks. A bank is of no use to a community unless it affords accommodations to its patrons. In these times, however, with a short crop and a mud embargo of nearly two months' duration and of such unprededented character as to absolutely stop all attempts to move the produce of the country to market, it is by no means strange that borrowers should find themselves without the means to pay their notes at maturity, and bankers correspondingly ambarrassed. It was this that caus each mouns with which to meet the demands of their depositors, who, pressed for money to meet their own debts and to live upon, and made nervous by the late bank falkires here and claewhere, checked out their balances with, a rapidity altogether unusual. The firm hoped to be able to buil through until last evening, when, in response to an effort to obtain currency in New York upon first-class collaterals, a telegram was received with the information that currency could not be procured, no matter how glit-edged

the paper might be. We are assured upon the best authority that the manufacturing interests of Peddecord & Burrows are in no wise responsible for the suspension of the firm,-These ventures have been reasonably successful, considering the times, and have not been sources of loss in any sense. They have paid their way at least, and are therefore not to blamed with the everses which have overtaken the firm.

What action will be taken by the firm is not known as yet but an assignment is lectures at the Opera House, on the devised to prevent the necessity of such a step, as we learn that the assets of the firm are largely in excess of the liabilities, and would have to be almost given away to entall any loss upon the creditors. should be again placed on its feet, and the factories owned and operated by it be started up at once. The people of Decatur cannot afford to have all these industries suspended, nor can they sfford to strike the firm of Peddecord & Burrows

from their list of husiness men. Let us all hope for the best, and in the mountime let us hold up the hands of all our business men, endeavoring to bring back confidence and start business in its

accustomed channels.

AT THE OTHER BANKS. The fear was general this morning that the suspension of Peddecord & Burrows would cause a run on the other banks, but the friends of both determined to stand by them and see them through. At Millikin's there was quite a crowd during the forencon, but most of those present were drawn there by mere curiosity, and not All checks were paid as usual, and the was all right, especially with the splendid all semblance of a run had ceased. At will be for the most part. half past one o'clock everything was quiet, and the bank reported that they had received more in the way of deposits party of young people to the number of

than they had paid out. was unusually quiet, the amount of checks Morgan street, where a very pleasant evepresented being less than is usual on ning was spent in dancing and other Saturday, and the deposits up to noon amusements. Leonard's orchestra fur-largely exceeded the amounts checked nished music for the occasion. About out. Mr. Hill informed our reporter that half-past oleven an elegant supper was his friends had profered assistance, but he had informed them that he needed rated, with pleasant recollections of

It is fair to assume, therefore, that all danger of a panic is over, and that business will resume its ordinary degree of

monday—Presbyterian Church; subject; lietrospect and Thanken Church; respectively. Tuesday—First M. E. Church, Prayer for United Church and Church, Prayer for Wednesday—Baptist Church, Prayer for Wednesday—Baptist Church, Prayer for Parents and Children.

Thursday—Oncision Church, Prayer for the eldest daughter of Pater Bohrer, one of the oldest settlers of the county, and resident and Rulers.

Friday—U. B. Church, Prayer for Minstons and Renevolent Enterpoises.

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REAL ESTATE THANSFERS As Filed from December 28, 1877, to January 4, 1878.

Feb. 8, 1877; Joseph Wilson to James II. Williams, warranty deed for \$2,900; cast half northeast or, of sec. 5, town 18; range 2 cast.

Aug. 81, 1879; Ill. C. R. R. Co. to John H. Crocker, deed for \$65; lot 8; block 11; railroad addition to Maron. April 28, 1671; Associate Land Co. of

Connecticut to John H. Crocker, deed for June 24, 1864; Peleg Kent to John

Crocker, deed for \$1,000; lot 4, block 4, maron, except 20 feet off south side. June 20, 1874; Edwin A. Thrift: to John H. Crocker, warranty deed for \$210; lot

11, block 18, Maroa. Oct. 10, 1877; Edwin B. Hale, executor. to John Miller, warranty deed for \$2,500; south half of southwest qr sec. 19, town

16, range 1 cast. Dec. 19, 1877; Chas. S. McKay to Win. McKinney, \$100; west half southwest qr.

Warranty deed. southeast qr. sec. 28, town 18, range 4 cast. July 12, 1805; Martin Forstmyer to Willis Inman. H. Martin, warranty deed for \$80; lot 6;

block 2, Forstmyer's addition. July 26, 1875; Hiram C. Russell to Henry E. Kent, warranty deed for \$1,000; lot 2, block 12, Marca. Dec. 10, 1877; Jordan Burkey to John

H. Clark, warranty deed for \$1,000; west and south half southeast qr. northwest qr. sec. 14 and other land-all in town 10, range 1 west.

Nov. 29, 1877; Isaac V. Goltra to John and J. W. Hatfield and B. Z. Taylor, wartown 15, range 1 cast.

southeast qr. of southwest qr. of sec. 14, town 10, range 1 west. Nov. 5, 1876; John H. Clark, adm'r, to

Iordan Burkey, deed for \$1,900; land in section 14 and 26, town 16, range I west. Dec. 16, 1877; Joseph Cameron to K. W. Conn, warrranty deed for \$400: two acres in northwest qr. of sec. 9, town 15,

range S cast. Oct. 23, 1877; George C. Lyon to John Crocker, deed for \$5,500; south half northwest qr. sec. 4, and east half northeast qr, of sec. 5, all in town 18, range 2 east. Warranty deed.

Dec. 24, 1877; Henry D. W. Hodge to Emily C. Hutchings, warranty deed for ed Peddecord & Burrows to run short of \$610; north part east half east half lot 3 of northeast qr. sec. 2, town 15, range 8 east (28 acres.)

Dec. 22, 1877; Wm. Carlton to John P. Lane, warranty deed for \$1,600; northwest gr. northwest gr. sec. 2, town 17, range 1 cast.

ARTIFICIAL LAMBS .- A gentlemun by the name of C. C. Collins, of Iowa, is in the city, exhibiting samples of artificial limbs, of his own manufacture, which are made of leather, instead of wood .-The invention is his own, and he has procured a patent upon it. The invention is highly recommended by Dr. D. T. Kyner, of Macon, who has tested it upon himself. Surgeons of this city have also examined the apparatus, and pronounce it in every way superior to the wooden limbs. It is much more durable than the latter, and costs only about half as much. An effort is being made by those who have examined the invention to induce the patentee to establish his factory in this city, and with suitable encouragement he may probably be persuaded to do so.-Mr. Collins and a sample of his invention may be found at the shoe store of W. F. Busher, on East Main street. Persons in the community who have the misfortune to need anything of the kind, will do well

Besides, it is to the interest of everybody three different parties in this county, one do also the other parties who have ob

> from an exchange published in the castorn part of the state:

The reports from all parts in Illinois and lowa give a deplorable account of the corn, which is suffer in a second of the corn, which is suffer in a second of the corn, which is suffer in a second of the corn, which is suffer in a second of the corn, which is suffer in the cor the condition of the corn, which is suiter ing severely from the warm and wet weather. Much of it is already suffering from the mildew, and is rotting both on the stalk and in the cribs. Unless the weather changes yery soon the damage to the corn crop will be no less than 50 per cent. Even if there should be an immediate change in the weather, the damage will be about 50 per cent. of the total amount raised.

We have heard some complaint from

We have heard some complaint from farmers of our own county of corn rotting in the crib, but hardly to the extent indicated in the above statement. We half of them had a dollar on deposit. think the change rn the weather will check all tendency to rot or mould, and a impression soon got abroad that "Jim" few cold, dry days will set the matter right. We sincerely hope that the corn backing he showed; and long before noon raised may be saved, and we believe it

A PLEASANT PARTY.-Last evening a about twenty couples assembled at the At the Decatur National the morning residence of Mr. Sullivan Burgess, on served, and an hour later the party sepa-

> Masonic .- A special meeting of Macon Lodge No. 8, A., F. and A. M., will be held this (Saturday) evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for work in M. M. degree. Men bers of Ionic Lodge and visiting brethrea are cordially invited.

> W. W. FOSTER, W. M. Pike, the jeweler, has removed to his old stand, at Armstrong's drug store. Watch repairing a specialty.

Jan. 3-ded A large let of new Prints just received Jan3-d1w at S. Einstein's

THE CHURCHES TO ITEROW.

MANUEL JANES CHAPEL

Services at 101 A. M., and at 7 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. R. Locke, Sunday School at 9 o'clock in the morning. All are invited.

\* EPISCOPAT, CHURCH Services by the rector, Rev. Stephen H. Granberry, at the regular hours, morning and evening. Sunday Behool at 21 o'clock

DETHEL CHURCH. Rev. W. B. Allen, the paster, will preach morning and evening, at the usual hours. Sunday school at 2 o'clock in the

aftertioon. Seats free, and a cordial invitation to all. STAPP'S M. E. CHAPEL. Riv. S. MacBurney will preach at 101 A. M. and 7 P. M. Evening subject, "Capital Punishment-Is it Right?" Communion after morning sermon. You are in-

BAPTIST CHURCH. There will be services at this church at 101 o'clock in the morning, and at 7 in the evening, by the pastor, Rev. W. G.

o v. n. cacken. There will be preaching at this church at 101 o'clock in the morning, by Rev. L, Field. Also, services in the evening at the usual hour. Love-feast in the morn ing, at half past nine. FIRST M. E. OHURCK.

The paster will preach in the morning on "Christian Union," and at night on "The Sure Foundation." Sunday school at 2 P. M. All are invited. FIRST PRESBYTRRIAN CHURCH.

Regular services at 105 A. M., and 7 P. M., by the pastor. FUNERAL SERVICES Of Mrs. Martha Le-

Feb. 16, 1877; Joseph Crethman to John I. Clark, quit claim for \$250; part of row (Sunday) at 31 o'clock P. M. The appointments of the Young Meas

Christian Association for the coming week are as follows: The Sabbath Afternoon service will be held in Reform Club Hall at 34 o'clock, continuing one hour. Morning prayer meeting in Reform Club

Hall, every morning from 9 to 10 o'clock, o which all are invited. Come, although you may be able to remain but a few minutes. The Tuesday and Thursday evening meetings will be omitted. Cont.

A Good Sugarstion, The Pontlac Sen tinel justly remarks: "Parents ought to consider that it is entirely unnecessary for their children to go to the postoffice to and from their way to school, from four to to six times per day, and request them to stop it. People who don't get a letter once a fortnight will let several children go to the office day after day and worry the clerks for no purpose whatever."

People have but little idea of how much un annoyance it is to postoffice clerks to have two or three scores of school childrep calling for letters at the generaldelivery, and as many more thumping on boxes at the same time. While it is the duty of clerks to deliver letters to those that call, they have a great deal of unnecessary annoyance from the source indica-

### PERSONAL.

Cerro Gordo, made the REPUBLICAN office STANDARD ORGAN a pleasant call yesterday afternoon. Both centlemen are renders of the RECUMACAN.

It has Stood the Test.

If you doubt the wonderful success of SHILOR'S CONSUMPTION CURE, give it a trial; then if you are not perfectly satisfied, return the bottle and we will refun the price paid. It has established the fact that Consumption can be cared, while for Coughs, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping Coughs, and M. Y. Asthma, while for Coughs, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping Cough, and all Lung or Throat Whooping Cough, and all Lung or Throat Whooping Cough, and all Lung or Throat this work, and he has already fitted out three different parties in this county, one of them being Dr. Kyner, who recommends the article in the highest terms, as dealers the article in the highest terms, as the last the article in the highest terms, as the last three differences. Asthma, Whooping Cough, and all Lung or Throat troubles, there is nothing like it for a quick and positive cure, and it seldom fails. 10 cents, 50 cents, and \$1.00 per bottle. If your Lungs are ore or Buck lame, use Stuton's Persons Plassing.

DR. SHILOITS SYSTEM VITALIZER CORN SPOILING.—We clip the following from an exchange published in the eastern part of the state:

The reports from all parts in tilinois and Iowa give a deplorable account of the condition of the corn, which is suffering severely from the warm and wetweather. Much of it is already suffering the milder and is institute before.

HACKMETACK, a rich and fragrant perfume. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. Dec 14-d&w6m

S. Einstein is selling his fall stock of Dress Goods at cost. Call and see his Jan8-dlw

Good Tapestry Brussels 95
Extra good Tap. Brussels \$1.10
Best English Tap. Brussels 1.15
Good Body Brussels 1.85
Best 1.50 Oil cloths at reduced rates.

Dec12-d&wiff Linn & Schuogs. MARKET REPORT.

DECATUR, JLL., Jan. 4, 1878.

GRAIN MARKET. -White Wheat, selling por FLOUR Red wheat selling per hunred its.

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CORN—New
WHEAT—Seiling.

FARM PRODUCE. POTATOES Rarly Rose Peachblow Peschilow DUTTER Per lo EGGS Per dozen LARD Selling SIDE-BACON Selling B-Selling CKENS-Per dosen

CHICKERNS—Per doson
TURKER'S—Perssed
CABRAGE—Per dozen
RANBERRIES—Selling
NEW ONIONS—Per bush
APPLES—Per bushel
TIMOTHY HAY—Per ton
FAT CATTLE—Per owt.
HOGS—Per cyt.
WGOI—Fine, nuwashed.
ULIDES—Green HIDES-Green dannaged,

Read Ashby's Notice done in Rhymes. Of Chistman Goods to Suit Hard Times.

All yel who wish for Christmas Gifts, And want them cheap and nice,
I'll tell you where's the very place,
If you'll take my advice!

At Ashby's store, on Water street, Just four doors north of Breanemant You'll find all kinds of novelties,

To suit the taste of any man! He has all kinds of Rocking Chairs,
Upholstered (fine or plain),
And some with perforated seats,
And some of polished cane!

There's Chairs to suit the children, too,

Of simost every kind; Nice Slipper-Cases, Ottomans, And Camp Stools, there you'll find! Upholstered Foot rests, all the go,

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THE MALL TO BE THE HOBBY HORSES.

## CITY DEPARTMENT.

(heap Charley's motion . Be just, and fear not!" NICE winter weather.

REGULAR monthly meeting of the city council on Monday evening next. READ the new advertisement of S. Einstein in to-day's paper.

CIRCUIT COURT resumes on Monday next, with Judge Nelson in the chair. The river is frozen over in some places where the current is not rapid.

THE city schools are to re-open on Monday morning next. The young folks will take due notice, and govern themselves

Now that the roads are well frozen, if they remain so they will soon wear smooth, and transportation on wheels will again be

Tue boys and girls are humpy to day over the phospect of a good run of skating. Yesterday we noticed them tripping in full.
Jan. 5, 1878. gaily along the streets with skates in hand.

An exchange says: . "If the short man ever feels overcome with an intense desire to be tall it is when he finds himself on the outside of a crowd at a dog fight. That editor must have been "thar." A door many insist just now that they

are obeying the injunction to remamber the poor when they sit down and think of thomselves.

Look over the church; calendar for toattend church and be sure you don't for FARMERS in large numbers faced the

blook wind of to day and made their weekly visit to the city, and stores are having

CHARLEY HOLF was at Taylorville last night working in temperance cause. Forty-three signed the pledge, and the enthusiasm there is on the increase.

Turks is one great trouble shout the silver business. It is this, that it invariably rattles in your pocket when you begin telling one of your creditors that you have not a cent to your name.

Case Diskinsker .- The case of the City vs. Frank Corning, which was set for eight o'clock this morning, before Justice Albert, was dismissed, as the prosecuting witnesses failed to uppear in time.

MASS MEETING To NIGHT .- Don't forget the temperance mass meeting at the court-house to night. Capt. J. H. Post and Rey. W. G. Thurst, are expected to address the meeting, and should there be time others will speak. Come one, come

and happy party assembled at the residence of Mr. W. F. Busher, on Macon street, for the purpose of congratulating Mr. Walter Busher on the attniument of his majority, he having reached his 21st birth-day. The A. P. C. Club was largely represented in the company. Music for the occasion was furnished by Goodman's orchedita. Alabert repast was served, at a proper time. All present voted the party one of the pleasantest of the season, and as they separated left their best wishes with the host.

PROF. EDWARD S. Money, of Massachulectures at the Opera House, on the spoken of by these supposed to be posted. evenings of January 17th and 18th; The Professor has recently returned from Japan; where he has spent several years in investigations. His lectures here will be diest Japan and Japanese, Second highest or man. It is through the influence of the Decutur Philosophical Club, aided by the leading and prominent citizens of this city that his services have

OFFICERS ELECTED. -The 18th annual meeting of Loung America Hock and Ladder Company took place as teachquarters last night, and the following officers, were elected for the ensuing year:

Enos Kepler, Captain. Chas, M. Fletcher, 1st Lieutonant. Charles C. Dempsey, 2d Lieutenant, Jacob M. Ehrman, Secretary.

Ed. D. Carter, Treasurer. J. G. Cleyd, Ladder Director. I. W. Ehrman, Bucket Director.

F. D. Caldwell, Hook Director. Edward Gates, Ax Director. Finance Committee-I. W. Ehrman, J. G. Cloyd and L. L. Perriss:

DISCHARGED.-In our issue of yesterday mention was made of a habeas corpus case in progress before Judge Nelson, the case being that of The People vs Mrs. Mary England, of Moultrie county, who lives in the vicinity of Dalton City, and who was charged with setting fire to her own house some time last fall. She had a hearing at the tiree, and was committed to jail under a: Justice's mittimus to await trial at the coming term of court. Her friends, being confident that there was really no case against her, had her brought before Judge Nelson on a writ of havess corpus, who, upon hearing the evidence in the case, at once discharged the woman. A dozen or more witnesses were

THE WEEK OF PRAYER. -At a meeting of the city pastors, held Jan. 4th, it was agreed that a union service be held each alterine freis 336 f colors at the see. quiet by Monday.

OUR GREAT MISFORTUNE.

Suspension of Peddecord & Burrows.

The Other Banks Determined to Weather the Storm.

in these days of financial calamity ev my fresh reverse adds to the existing diflouities, and it was therefore with a ter. \$110; lot 14, block 15, Maros. rible sinking of hearts that our citizens this morning reed the following card, which appeared in the Sun:

TO OUR CREDITORS : We are under the painful necessity of closing our doors as bankers. The continued financial depression throughout the country together with local adverse causes known to all business men in the communication.

known to all business men in the community, drives us rejuctantly to this course. We have used every honorable means to secure funds to meet the daily calls upon us. It is useless to continue the struggle further. The only honorable course. left is to suspend business. Our assets are large and valuable, and every dollar of our property shall be carefully and faithfully appropriated to the payment of our creditors, as we hope and firmly believe, in full.

PEDDECORD & BURNOWS.

The suspension was, of course, the chief topic of conversation on the streets, in the stores, and in all other public places, as soon as it became public. The general tone of public sentiment was to the effect half northwest or, northwest qr. sec. 26, that while the misfortune was probably the greatest which ever befel Decatur, it was not to be attributed to any reasons which could possibly reflect upon the integrity of Peddecord & Burrows, but that it was entirely due to causes incident to ranty deed for \$1,000; 10 acres in sec. 31 morrow and make up your mind where to the present anomalous condition of affairs, Inquiry made of persons thoroughly familiar with the business of the firm revealed the fact that the troubles under

> a nature similar to those which have doed so many other banks. A bank is of no use to a community unless it affords accommodations to its patrons. In these times, however, with a short crop and a mud embargo of nearly two months' duration and of such unprededented character as to absolutely stop all strempts to move the produce of the country to market, it is by no means strange that borrowers should find themclves without the means to pay their notes at maturity, and bankers correspondingly ambarrassed. It was this that causeach mouns with which to meet the demands of their depositors, who, pressed for money to meet their own debts and to live upon, and made nervous, by the late bank fallures here and elsewhere, checked out their balances with a rapidity altogether undsual. The firm hoped to b able to pull through until last evening, when, in response to an effort to obtain

be procured, no matter how glit-edged the namer might be. We are assured upon the best authority that the manufacturing interests of Peddecord & Burrows are in no wise responsible for the suspension of the firm.-These ventures have been reasonably successful, considering the times, and have not been sources of loss in any sense. They have paid their way at least, and are therefore not to blamed with the reverses which have overtaken the firm.

currency in New York upon first-class

colleterals, a telegram was received with

What action will be taken by the firm is not known as yet, but an assignment is devised to prevent the necessity of such a step, as we learn that the assets of the firm are largely in excess of the liabilities, and would have to be almost given away to entail any loss upon the creditors. Besides, it is to the interest of everybody that the firm of Peddecord & Burrows should be again placed on its feet, and the factories owned and operated by it be will be upon the different forms of life, Besides, it is to the interest of everybody three different parties in this county, one factories owned and operated by it be started up at once. The people of Decatur cannot afford to have all these industries suspended, nor can they afford to strike the firm of Peddecord & Burrows

from their list of business men. Let us all hope for the best, and in the

the friends of both determined to stand by them and see them through. At Millikin's there was quite a crowd during the forenoon, but most of those present were drawn there by mere curiosity, and not half of them had a dollar on deposit. All checks were paid as usual, and the impression soon got abroad that "Jim" was all right, especially with the splendid backing he showed; and long before noon all semblance of a run had ceased. At will be for the most part. half past one o'clock everything was quiet; and the bank reported that they had received more in the way of deposits party of young people to the number of

than they had paid out. his friends had profered assistance, but he had informed them that he needed

It is fair to assume, therefore, that all danger of a punic is over, and that business will resume its ordinary degree of

Monday—Presbyserian Church; subject; itercopect and Thanksgiving.

Tuesday—First M. E. Church, Prayer for Ite Church; Wednesday—Baptist Church, Prayer for Wednesday—Baptist Church, Prayer for Nations and Rulers.

Thursday—Church, Prayer for Missions and Ensevolunt Enterprises; Saturday—Church of God, Prayer for Missions and Ensevolunt Enterprises; Saturday—Church of God, Prayer for Missions and Rulers.

Temperance and its Outgrowth.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Ax Filed from December 28, 1877, to January 4, 1878.

Feb. 8, 1877; Joseph Wilson to James II. Williams, warranty deed for \$2,000; School at 9 o'clock in the morning. All cast half northeast qr. of sec. 5, town 18; range 2 cast.

Aug. 81, 1872; Ill. C. R. R. Co. to John H. Crocker, decd for \$65; lot 8; block 11, railroad addition to Maron.

April 28, 1871; Associate Land Co. of P. M. Connecticut to John H. Crocker, deed for June 24, 1864; Peleg Kent to John

Crocker, deed for \$1,000; lot 4, block 4, maros, except 30 feet off south side. June 20, 1874; Edwin A. Thrift to John H. Crocker, warranty decd for \$210; lot

11, block 18, Maros. Oct. 10, 1877; Edwin B. Hale, executor. to John Miller, warranty deed for \$2,500; south half of southwest qr sec. 19, town

16, range 1 east. Dec. 19, 1877; Chas. S. McKay to Win.

McKinney, \$100; west half southwest qr. Warranty decd. southeast qr. sec. 28, town 18, range 4 east. July 12, 1865; Martin Forstmyer to Willis.

H. Martin, warranty deed for \$90; lot 6; block 2, Forstmyer's addition.
July 26, 1875; Hiram C. Russell to Henry E. Kent, warranty deed for \$1,000;

lot 2, block 12, Maroa. Dec. 10, 1877; Jordan Burkey to John H. Clark, warranty deed for \$1,900; west and south half southeast qr. northwest qr. sec. 14 and other land-all in town 10,

range 1 west. Nov. 23, 1877; Isaac V. Goltra to John and J. W. Hatfield and B. Z. Taylor, wartown 15, range 1 cast.

Feb. 16, 1877; Joseph Crethman to John H. Clark, quit claim for \$250; part of row (Sunday) at 31 o'clock P.M. southeast qr. of southwest qr. of sec. 14, town 10, range 1 west. which the bank suspended were of

Nov. 5, 1876; John H. Clark, adm'r, to lordan Burkey, deed for \$1,900; land in section 14 and 26, town 16, range I west. Dec. 16, 1877; Joseph Cameron to K. W. Conn, warrranty deed for \$400; two acres in northwest qr. of sec. 9, town 15,

range 3 cast. Oct. 23, 1877; George C. Lyon to John Crocker, deed for \$5,500; south half northwest qr. sec. 4, and cast half northeast qr. of sec. 5, all in town 18, range 2 east.

Warranty deed. Dec. 24, 1877; Henry D. W. Hodge to Emily C. Hutchings, warranty deed for ed Peddecord & Burrows to run short of \$610; north part east half east half lot 3 of northeast or, sec. 2, town 15, range 8 east (28 acres.)

Dec. 22, 1877; Wm. Carlton to John P. Lane, warranty deed for \$1,600; northwest qr. northwest qr. sec. 2, town 17, range 1 cast.

ARTIFICIAL LAMBS.-A gentleman by the name of C. C. Collins, of Iowa, is in the city, exhibiting samples of artificul limbs, of his own manufacture, which are made of leather, instead of wood .the information that currency could not The invention is his own, and he has procured a patent upon it. The invention is highly recommended by Dr. D. T. Kyner, of Macon, who has tested it upon himself. Surgeons of this city have also ted. examined the apparatus, and pronounce it in every way superior to the wooden limbs. It is much more durable than the latter, and costs only about half as much. An effort is being made by those who have examined the invention to induce the patentoe to establish his factory in this city, and with suitable encouragement he may probably be persuaded to do so .-Mr. Collins and a sample of his invention may be found at the shoe store of W. F. Busher, on East Main street. Persons in

do also the other parties who have ob tained it.

CORN SPOILING. - We clip the following from an exchange published in the cast-

orn part of the state: The reports from all parts in Illinois The reports from all parts in Himois and Iown give a deplorable account of the confidence and start business in its accustomed channels.

At the other banks.

The fear was general this morning that the suspension of Peddecord & Burrows would cause a run on the other banks, but the friends of both determined to stand

We have heard some complaint from farmers of our own county of corn rotting in the crib, but hardly to the extent indicated in the above statement. We think the change rn the weather will check all tendency to rot or mould, and a few cold, dry days will set the matter right. We sincerely hope that the corn raised may be saved, and we believe it

A PLEASANT PARTY.-Last evening than they had paid out.

At the Decatur National the morning residence of Mr. Sullivan Burgess, on was manually quiet, the amount of checks Morgan street, where a very pleasant evepresented being less than is usual on ning was spent in dancing and other Saturday, and the deposits up to noon amusements. Leonard's orchestra fur-largely exceeded the amounts checked nished music for the occasion: About out. Mr. Hill informed our reporter that half-past oleven an elegant supper was served and an hour later the party sepa-rated, with pleasant recollections of the

> Masonic.- A special meeting of Macon Lodge No. 8, A., F. and A. M., will be held this (Saturday) evening, at 7 o'clock, sharp, for work in M. M. degree. Men bers of Ionic Lodge and visiting brethren are cordially invited. W. W. FOSTER, W. M.

hour.

Pike, the jeweler, has removed to his old stand, at Armstrong's drug store. Watch repairing a specialty. Jan. 3-ded

A large let of new Prints just received Jan3-d1w at S. Einstein's

THE CHURCHES TO BURNOW.

AND SHAPEL SHAPEL Services at 101 A. M., and at 7 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. R. Locke, Sunday

are invited. EPISCOPAT. CHURCH. Services by the rector, Rev. Stephen H. Granberry, at the regular hours, morning and evening. Sunday School at 21 o'clock

BETHEL CHURCH.

Rev. W. B. Allen, the paster, will preach morning and evening, at the usual hours. Sunday school at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Seats free, and a cordial invitation to all.

STAPP'S M. E. CHAPEL. Riv. S. MacBurney will preach at 101 M. and 7 P. M. Evening subject, "Capital Punishment-Is it Right?" Communion after marning sermon. You are in-

BAPTIST CHURCH. There will be services at this church at 101 o'clock in the morning, and at 7 in the evening, by the pastor, Rev. W. G. v. n. chekon.

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The paster will preach in the morning on "Christian Union," and at night on "The Sure Foundation." Sunday school at 2 P. M. All are invited. FIRST PRESBYTHRIAN CHURCH.

Regular services at 10; A. M., and 7 P. a.. by the pastor. FUNERAL SERVICES of Mrs. Martha Le forged will be held at this church to mor-

The appointments of the Young Meas Christian Association for the coming week are as follows: The Sabbath Afternoon service will be held in Reform Club Hall, a 34 o'clock, continuing one hour.

Morning prayer meeting in Reform Club Hall, every morning from 9 to 10 o'clock, to which all are invited. Come, although you may be able to remain but a few minutes. The Tuesday and Thursday evening meetings will be omitted.

A Good Suggestion. The Pontlac Sen tinel justly remarks: "Parents ought to consider that it is entirely unnecessary for their children to go to the postoffice to and from their way to school, from four to to six times per day, and request them to stop it. People who don't get a letter once a fortnight will let several children go to the office day after day and worry the clerks for no purpose whatever.".

People have but little idea of how much an annoyance it is to postoffice clerks to have two or three scores of school children calling for letters at the general delivery, and as many more thumping on boxes at the same time. While it is the duty of clerks to deliver letters to those that call, they have a great deal of unnecessary annoyance from the source indica-

PERSONAL.

Messrs. John and David Heckman, of Cerro Gordo, made the REPUBLICAN office a pleasant call yesterday afternoon. Both gentlemen are readers of the REPUBLICAN.

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To suit the taste of any man!

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Of almost every kind; Nice Slipper-Cases, Ottomans, And Camp Stools, there you'll find!

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So when you buy your Christmas Gifts!
I'll tell you one thing sure:
You cannot buy them near no cheap,
As round at Ashby's Store!

Be careful not to miss the place-

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Have you been to the Farmers' Store, 87 North Church street, and looked over the stock of Groceries, Queens, Glass, Wood, Willow and Hard Wares that are to be exchanged for beef, pork, butter, lard, eggs, corn, oats, wood and greenbacks? E. B. PRATT.

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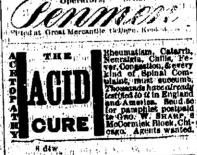
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